

## Message Text

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TAGS: PGOV, SHUM, TH  
SUBJ: EX-PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY SPEAKER CONVICTED OF MURDER BY  
LOCAL COURT

1. ACCORDING TO BANGKOK PRESS THE PRACHINBURI PROVINCIAL  
COURT HANDED DOWN THE DEATH SENTENCE ON AUG 10 IN ITTIPHON  
PATANACHINDA, FORMER SPEAKER OF PRACHINBURI PROVINCIAL  
ASSEMBLY, FOR COMPLICITY IN THE MURDER OF A KABINBURI  
MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLYMAN ON JUL 12, 1975.

2. THE DEATH SENTENCE CAME FOLLOWING A CRIMINAL COURT TRIAL  
AND IS NOT RPT NOT RELATED TO THE SUMMARY POWERS GRANTED  
TO THE PRIME MINISTER UNDER ARTICLE 21 OF THE CONSTITUTION.  
THE PROVINCIAL COURT DECISION IS EXPECTED TO BE APPEALED TO A  
HIGHER COURT.  
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